

## **PRIMARY FOUR ENGLISH CLASS WORK WEEK 5.**

### **PRESENT CONTINUOUS TENSE.**

This is a tense that talks about actions that are happening or going on now.

The verbs in the present continuous tense take "...ing " at the end.

The helping verbs in the present continuous tense are;

.. " are" , " is" , and " am"

### **Examples.**

1. We are learning now.
2. The boy is swimming.
3. I'm going to town now.

### **Activity.**

**Fill in the blank spaces using the correct form of the words in brackets.**

1. Mummy is.....the kitchen now. ( mop )
2. My neighbours are .....in their garden. (dig )
3. The thieves are .....money from the bank. (Steal)
4. Many people are .....their hands to avoid corona virus. (wash )
5. We are .....to a new home today. ( shift )
6. I'm wearing a sweater because it is .....very heavily. ( rain )
7. Ugandans are very busy .....this whole week. ( campaign )
8. She is .....the most delicious meal for us. ( prepare )
9. He is.....his homework before having supper. ( write )

## **Changing sentences from positive to negative and then to interrogative in the present continuous tense.**

Positive sentences are sentences that agree or allow. They don't have any negative word.eg

1. We are learning English this afternoon.
2. They are travelling to the village for a party.

Negative sentences are sentences that disagree. They have a negative word in them .eg

1. We are not learning English this afternoon.
2. They are not travelling to the village for a party.

Interrogative sentences are sentences that ask a question. This sentences want to find out the truth. eg

1. Are we learning English this afternoon ?
2. Are they travelling to the village for a party ?

### **Activity.**

Change the sentences below to negative and to interrogative respectively.

1. Opio is walking to school.
2. The goat is giving birth to many kids.
3. Corona virus is killing many people in the world.
4. I'm listening to the preaching of Pastor Peter.
5. My mother is serving for us lunch.
6. She is travelling to Congo for Christmas.
7. The police are arresting people for defying the presidential directives on corona virus.

8. You are eating pineapples.